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Conduct and Coordination of SIGINT Activities (U)

1. (U) Purpose. To prescribe responsibilities and establish policies and procedures for the conduct and coordination of signals intelligence (SIGINT) activities in the HQ USEUCOM area. This Directive applies to HQ USEUCOM and to USEUCOM component and subordinate commands.

3. (U) Definitions and Abbreviations. See Appendix A and C respectively.

4. (U) Policy.

5. (U) General.

- (1) (U) Peacetime - to include exercises;
- (2) (U) Periods of heightened tension (crisis);
- (3) (U) Contingency operations; and
- (4) (U) War.

(6) (U) Electronic Warfare (EW). The military commander's decision on the employment of Electronic Countermeasures (ECM) in a tactical situation will depend on

resolution of considerations such as the capability of ECM to negate effective operation of the target, the effect of ECM on other friendly operations including intelligence collection activities, and the potential tipoff of friendly intentions.

1 (U) Name and position title of the foreign representative(s) involved in initiating the proposal.

2 (U) A description of the circumstances under which the proposal was made, and the response of the U.S. representative to whom the proposal was addressed.

3 (U) An evaluation of the foreign government's motivation for initiating the proposal.

4 (U) An identification of the U.S. intelligence requirement(s) to be addressed.

5 (U) The planned implementation procedures.

6 (U) A description of the information, intelligence data, and/or material that is expected to be received by the U.S.

b. (U) Component commanders will:

c. (U) Commander, EUDAC, will:

(1) (U) Originate proposed EUDAC ELINT and ELINT-related intelligence requirements and provide to HQ USEUCOM/ECJ2-ECMO requirements with additional comments, as necessary.

(2) (U) As requested by HQ USEUCOM/ECJ2, review theater ELINT-related requirements and provide technical advice.

(3) (U) Participate with HQ USEUCOM/ECJ2, NCEUR, and components in planning for and supervision of ELINT-related exercise support (see para 6.b. (8)).

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A-12. (U) SIGINT Activities. Collection, processing, and reporting functions of COMINT, ELINT, and FISINT.

A-13. (U) SIGINT Direct Service. A reporting procedure to provide SIGINT to a military commander or other authorized recipient in response to SIGINT requirements. The product may vary from recurring, serialized reports produced by NSA to instantaneous, aperiodic reports provided to the command or other recipient, usually from a fixed collection/processing activity.

A-14. (U) SIGINT Direct Support. The provision of SIGINT information to a military commander by a SIGINT Direct Support Unit or other SIGINT activity over which that commander has been given, or assumed, SIGINT operational tasking authority (SOTA).

A-15. (U) SIGINT Operational Control. The authoritative direction of SIGINT activities, including tasking and allocation of effort, and the authoritative prescription of those uniform techniques and standards by which SIGINT information is collected, processed, and reported.

A-16. (U) SIGINT Operational Tasking. The authoritative operational direction of and direct levying of SIGINT information needs by a military commander on designated SIGINT resources. These requirements are directive, irrespective of other priorities and are conditioned only by the capability of those resources to produce such information. Operational tasking includes authority to deploy and redeploy all or a part of the SIGINT resources for which operational tasking authority has been delegated.

A-17. (U) SIGINT Operational Tasking Authority (SOTA). A military commander's authority to operationally direct and levy SIGINT information needs on designated SIGINT resources. SOTA includes authority to deploy and redeploy all or part of the SIGINT resources for which SOTA has been delegated.

A-18. (U) SIGINT Resources. Units/activities and organizational elements engaged in the conduct of SIGINT activities.

A-19. (U) SIGINT Support. The provision of SIGINT to a command or other user or organization in response to operational needs and intelligence requirements. SIGINT support may be accomplished by SIGINT direct service or SIGINT direct support, or both.

A-20. (U) SIGINT Support Plans (SSPs). Plans prepared by NSA/CSS in support of certain JCS and Unified and Specified Command operation plans. The requirement for preparation of SIGINT support

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plans will be stated in Annex E of operations plans (OPLANS) and operation plans in concept format (CONPLANS) in accordance with JOPS.

A-21. (U) Tactical Cryptologic Program (TCP). A major functional program consisting of those resources and activities of the military Services and the NSA/CSS necessary to provide tactical SIGINT support to military operations. Resources required by the military Services to conduct cryptologic training activities are also included.

A-22. (U) Foreign Instrumentation Signals Intelligence (FISINT). Technical and intelligence information derived from the intercept, processing, and analysis of foreign electromagnetic emissions associated with missile and space vehicles, including radio telemetry, beaconry and related interrogators, spacecraft command signals, and data transmissions.

A-24. (U) Service Cryptologic Element (SCE): A term used to designate separately, or together, those elements of the U.S. Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps that perform cryptologic functions; also known as Service Cryptologic Agencies (SCAs) and Service Cryptologic Organizations (SCOs). The term applies, separately or together, to the cryptologic staffs and functional portions of the U.S. Army Intelligence and Security Command (INSCOM), Naval Security Group Command (NAVSECGRU or NSG), and U.S. Air Force Electronic Security Command (ESC); their subordinate elements; and integral cryptologic elements of military tactical or combat commands, including those of the U.S. Marine Corps.

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Appendix C

Abbreviations

- C-1. ACE - Allied Command Europe
- C-2. CCP - Consolidated Cryptologic Program
- C-3. CRITICOMM - Critical Intelligence Communications
- C-4. C3CM - Command, Control and Communications Countermeasures
- C-5. DCI - Director of Central Intelligence
- C-6. DIA - Defense Intelligence Agency
- C-7. DIRNSA - Director, National Security Agency/Chief Central Security Service (see NSA/CSS)
- C-8. DOD - Department of Defense
- C-9. DSA - Direct Support Activity
- C-10. DSU - Direct Support Unit
- C-11. ECCM - Electronic Counter-Countermeasures
- C-12. ECM - Electronic Countermeasures
- C-13. EMCON - Emission Control
- C-14. ESM - EW Support Measures
- C-15. EUDAC - USEUCOM Defense Analysis Center
- C-16. EW - Electronic Warfare
- C-17. FISINT - Foreign Instrumentation Signals Intelligence
- C-18. IED - Imitative Electronic Deception
- C-19. ISS - Intelligence Support Staff
- C-20. I&W - Indications and Warning
- C-21. JCS - Joint Chiefs of Staff
- C-22. MCSF - Mobile Cryptologic Support Facility

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- C-23. MED - Manipulative Electronic Deception
- C-24. NSA/CSS - National Security Agency/Central Security Service (see DIRNSA)
- C-25. NCEUR - NSA/CSS Office Europe
- C-26. NCWR - Non-Codeword Reporting Program
- C-27. NSOC - NSA/CSS National SIGINT Operations Center
- C-28. NSRL - National SIGINT Requirements List
- C-29. OER - Operational ELINT Requirement
- C-30. OPSCOMM - Operational Secure Communications
- C-31. RFI - Request For Information
- C-32. SED - Simulative Electronic Deception
- C-33. SI - Signals Intelligence
- C-34. SIGINT - Signals Intelligence
- C-35. SOTA - SIGINT Operational Tasking Authority
- C-36. SSP - SIGINT Support Plan
- C-37. TELINT - Telemetry Intelligence (an obsolete term - see FISINT)
- C-38. TCP - Tactical Cryptologic Program
- C-39. USCINCEUR - United States Commander In Chief Europe
- C-40. USEUCOM - United States European Command
- C-41. USSID - United States Signals Intelligence Directive
- C-42. USSS - United States SIGINT System
- C-43. WWMCCS - Worldwide Military Command and Control System